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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, June 17, 2025 6:31 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: SWF - Archaeology Authority approval

Yes, we agree.

On Tue, 17 Jun 2025, 4:07 pm [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi [REDACTED]

I trust all is well with you.

Please see attached letter. Could you please provide a response (to this email is fine) indicating whether you consent, as owner of Glencoe Station, to include the portion of your land subject to the wind farm project in an application for a general archaeology authority across the entire Project Site – meaning that should anything of archaeological significance be encountered during wind farm construction that there would be a protocol in place for us to follow, and we wouldn't have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga?

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]



Roaring40s
Wind Power



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17 June 2025

[REDACTED]
Glencoe Station, Oware, Wyndham

Dear [REDACTED]

Subject: Southland Wind Farm application under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024: consent to archaeological authority

On 2 April 2024 Contact lodged an application for referral under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (FTAA). We are now compiling the substantive application that Contact intends to lodge once the referral application has been approved. As part of the substantive application, Contact is preparing an application for a site wide general archaeological authority.

Landowner consent to the archaeological authority is required before works commence. I am writing to seek consent from you, as a landowner, to the site wide general archaeological authority in relation to the construction of the wind farm on your property (Glencoe Station).

While the likelihood of finding something of archaeological significance during wind farm construction is low, if we do not have this approval in place and then we uncover something, we would have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga. Therefore, it makes sense for us to take a conservative approach and seek approval prior to construction.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Otherwise, if you could please reply to this letter indicating that you give your consent for a general archaeology authority that would include your property, that would be great.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "SH", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Steve Harding
Project Manager (Consent), Southland Wind Farm


Hi [REDACTED] I now have instructions and confirm the trust approves the Archaeology Authority . There was no attachment to sign so anticipate an email exchange is sufficient.

Thanks for following up on the Forestry Right. I am seeing [REDACTED] on Friday and would like to have this resolved by then.

Regards

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, 17 June 2025 4:09 pm
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: SWF - Archaeology Authority approval

Hi [REDACTED]

I trust all is well with you.

Please see attached letter. Could you please provide a response (to this email is fine) indicating whether you consent, as owner of Jedburgh Station, to include the property in an application for a general archaeology authority across the entire Project Site – meaning that should anything of archaeological significance be encountered during wind farm construction that there would be a protocol in place for us to follow, and we wouldn't have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga?

Kind regards,
Steve



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Steve Harding

[REDACTED]

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17 June 2025

[REDACTED]

c/- Jedburgh Station

Dear [REDACTED]

Subject: Southland Wind Farm application under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024: consent to archaeological authority

On 2 April 2024 Contact lodged an application for referral under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (FTAA). We are now compiling the substantive application that Contact intends to lodge once the referral application has been approved. As part of the substantive application, Contact is preparing an application for a site wide general archaeological authority.

Landowner consent to the archaeological authority is required before works commence. I am writing to seek consent from you, as a landowner, to the site wide general archaeological authority in relation to the construction of the wind farm and associated infrastructure on your Jedburgh Station property.

While the likelihood of finding something of archaeological significance during wind farm construction is low, if we do not have this approval in place and then we uncover something, we would have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga. Therefore, it makes sense for us to take a conservative approach and seek approval prior to construction.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Otherwise, if you could please reply to this letter indicating that you give your consent for a general archaeology authority that would include your property, that would be great.

Kind regards

Steve Harding

Project Manager (Consent), Southland Wind Farm

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, 4 July 2025 9:35 am
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: Contact Energy Southland Wind Farm - Archaeology Authority approval request to Salvation Army (Jeff Farm)

Good morning [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

That all said I am happy to provide approval as requested on behalf of Jeff Farm in good faith.

If I need to do anything else please advise.

Kind regards

[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPad

On 1 Jul 2025, at 4:03 pm, [REDACTED] wrote:

Kia ora [REDACTED]

With [REDACTED] now on leave, I am checking in to see if you have had a chance to consider the attached letter that Steve sent a couple of weeks ago regarding our proposed Southland Wind Farm?

As the letter describes, we are seeking consent from you as a landowner representative for the site wide archaeological authority that we intend to seek as part of our substantive fast track application. This relates to the construction of the wind farm Grid Injection Point (switching station) and transmission line on The Salvation Army NZ Trust (Jeff Farm) property. The likelihood of finding something of archaeological significance during construction is low, however we have determined a conservative approach is appropriate so that the construction programme is not impacted should something be uncovered.

As Steve noted, we would be more than happy to give you a briefing to familiarise you with the project if that would be helpful before agreeing to the request, otherwise please do let me know if

any queries. We are in the final stages of pulling together the application so it would be great to have a response from you by end of this week Friday 4th July if possible.

Ngā mihi,

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

Senior Advisor – Environment

Mob: [Redacted] | Wellington Based

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At Contact, we work flexibly – so whilst it suits me to send this email now, I do not expect a response or action outside your own working hours.

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17 June 2025

[REDACTED]

c/- The Salvation Army New Zealand Trust (Jeff Farm)

Dear [REDACTED]

Subject: Southland Wind Farm application under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024: consent to archaeological authority

On 2 April 2024 Contact lodged an application for referral under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (FTAA). We are now compiling the substantive application that Contact intends to lodge once the referral application has been approved. As part of the substantive application, Contact is preparing an application for a site wide general archaeological authority.

Landowner consent to the archaeological authority is required before works commence. I am writing to seek consent from you, as landowner representative, to the site wide general archaeological authority in relation to the construction of the wind farm Grid Injection Point (switching station) and transmission line on The Salvation Army New Zealand Trust (Jeff Farm) property.

While the likelihood of finding something of archaeological significance during wind farm construction is low, if we do not have this approval in place and then we uncover something, we would have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga. Therefore, it makes sense for us to take a conservative approach and seek approval prior to construction.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Otherwise, if you could please reply to this letter indicating that you give your consent for a general archaeology authority on the Jeff Farm property, that would be great.

Kind regards

Steve Harding

Project Manager (Consent), Southland Wind Farm

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, June 17, 2025 5:56:59 pm
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: SWF - Archaeology Authority approval

Hi Steve

[REDACTED]

In response to your request, I can confirm that Matariki Forests consents to Contact Energy seeking a site wide general archaeological authority in relation to the construction of the windfarm (and associated infrastructure) on the Matariki (Venlaw) Forest property.

regards

On Tue, 17 Jun 2025 at 13:27, [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi [REDACTED]

I trust all is well with you.

Please see attached letter. Could you please provide a response (to this email is fine) indicating whether you consent, as representative of Matariki Forests, for a general archaeology authority that would include the Matariki (Venlaw) Forest property – meaning that should anything of archaeological significance be encountered during wind farm construction that there would be a protocol in place for us to follow, and we wouldn't have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga?

Kind regards,

Steve



Steve Harding

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]



17 June 2025

[REDACTED]
c/- Matariki Forests

Dear [REDACTED]

Subject: Southland Wind Farm application under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024: consent to archaeological authority

On 2 April 2024 Contact lodged an application for referral under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (FTAA). We are now compiling the substantive application that Contact intends to lodge once the referral application has been approved. As part of the substantive application, Contact is preparing an application for a site wide general archaeological authority.

Landowner consent to the archaeological authority is required before works commence. I am writing to seek consent from you, as a landowner, to the site wide general archaeological authority in relation to the construction of the wind farm (and associated infrastructure) on the Matariki (Venlaw) Forest property.

While the likelihood of finding something of archaeological significance during wind farm construction is low, if we do not have this approval in place and then we uncover something, we would have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga. Therefore, it makes sense for us to take a conservative approach and seek approval prior to construction.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Otherwise, if you could please reply to this letter indicating that you give your consent for a general archaeology authority that would include the Matariki (Venlaw) Forest property, that would be great.

Kind regards

Steve Harding

Project Manager (Consent), Southland Wind Farm

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 3:26:25 pm
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Re: SWF - Archaeology Authority approval

Hi

I am happy for this restriction Steve

I don't suspect you have any issues

[REDACTED]

Regards [REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, 18 June 2025 2:44 pm
To: [REDACTED] >
Subject: RE: SWF - Archaeology Authority approval

Hi [REDACTED]

I have no problem with consenting to our property being included in an accidental discovery protocol – we do this as a matter of course for our forests anyway.

I just need [REDACTED] to confirm that he is happy with this restriction over our land.

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, 17 June 2025 4:10 pm

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: SWF - Archaeology Authority approval

EXTERNAL EMAIL

Hi [REDACTED]

I trust all is well with you.

Please see attached letter. Could you please provide a response (to this email is fine) indicating whether you consent, as representative of the Port Blakely 'Kaiwera' Forest property, to include the property in an application for a general archaeology authority across the entire Project Site – meaning that should anything of archaeological significance be encountered during wind farm construction that there would be a protocol in place for us to follow, and we wouldn't have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga?

Kind regards,
Steve



Steve Harding

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17 June 2025

[REDACTED]

c/- Port Blakely Ltd

Dear [REDACTED]

Subject: Southland Wind Farm application under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024: consent to archaeological authority

On 2 April 2024 Contact lodged an application for referral under the Fast-track Approvals Act 2024 (FTAA). We are now compiling the substantive application that Contact intends to lodge once the referral application has been approved. As part of the substantive application, Contact is preparing an application for a site wide general archaeological authority.

Landowner consent to the archaeological authority is required before works commence. I am writing to seek consent from you, as a landowner, to the site wide general archaeological authority in relation to the construction of the wind farm access road and transmission line on the Port Blakely 'Kaiwera' Forest property.

While the likelihood of finding something of archaeological significance during wind farm construction is low, if we do not have this approval in place and then we uncover something, we would have to temporarily cease construction whilst we make an application to Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga. Therefore, it makes sense for us to take a conservative approach and seek approval prior to construction.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. Otherwise, if you could please reply to this letter indicating that you give your consent for a general archaeology authority that would include the Port Blakely (Kaiwera) Forest, that would be great.

Kind regards

Steve Harding

Project Manager (Consent), Southland Wind Farm